



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 10/775,886 Confirmation No. 1418
Applicant : N. MATSUNAMI et al
Filed : February 10, 2004
Title : STORAGE DEVICE
TC/AU : 2188
Examiner : G.P. Hein
Docket No. : H-1210
Customer No.: 24956

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that a one-month Extension of Time, to and including January 30, 2006, be granted in which to respond to the Office Action dated September 30, 2005 in the above-identified application.

Our Credit Card Payment Form in the amount of **\$120.00** is attached in payment of the appropriate fee.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional payment due, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1417.

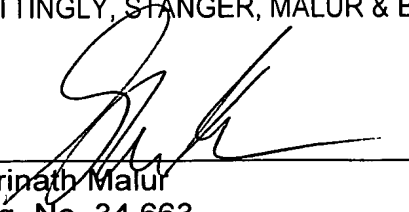
Respectfully submitted,

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January 26, 2006